



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6936**

LCO No. 1179

Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by:

REP. LABRIOLA, 131st Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING VERIFICATION OF THE IMMIGRATION  
STATUS OF PERSONS ARRESTED FOR CERTAIN CRIMES.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require local police officers
- 2 to check the immigration status of any person arrested for a felony or
- 3 drunken driving and to notify the federal immigration enforcement
- 4 agency if the arrestee is not in this country legally.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To assist in the enforcement of immigration laws by requiring police officers to check the immigration status of persons arrested for commission of a felony or for drunken driving.